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In re application of:

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Application No.: **10/625,468**

Filing Date: 23 July 2003

For: Method for Detecting Partial Conductor Short Circuits, and Device for Performing and Using the Method

Art Unit: 2858

Examiner: Benson, Walter

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated 26 August 2004, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply, the number of month(s) indicated below, to 26 January 2005.

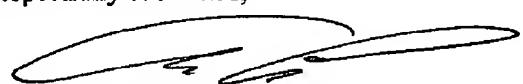
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The period for response has previously been extended to _____. For the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) identified above for this Petition,

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